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Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action dated May 1, 2008, please amend the above- identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the claim summary which begins on page two of this paper.

Remarks begin on page six of this paper.